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Members of the New York Southern  
Society and their guests, to the number  
of nearly seven hundred, gathered Sat-  
urday night at the seventeenth annual  
dinner of the society in the banquet hall  
of the Waldorf-Astoria. The boxes  
were filled with a brilliant assemblage  
of the wives and daughters of members  
of the society and their friends. Presi-  
dent Augustus J. Van Wyck presided.  
Chairman Van Wyck spoke in part as  
follows:

"What the South needs, and must  
have, is peace at home and jointly with  
the rest of the nation, international  
peace. There is but one unsettled  
problem peculiar to that section, com-  
monly called the negro question. The  
South understands it, and if left alone  
it will be settled rightly and justly in a  
Christian spirit. The natural friend-  
ship between whites and blacks of long  
standing (with no idea of social equal-  
ity) is well known to those at all fami-  
liar with the subject. The best friends  
of the black race is the white race of  
the South. The future welfare and de-  
velopment of the former rests upon the  
absence of a conflict between the two,  
and he who destroys or lessens the  
amity, so existing between the two is not  
a friend of the black man, but an  
enemy, intelligently or unintelligently,  
to civilization. Let no American citi-  
zen who loves his country be a party to  
stimulating a war of the races, so much  
on the subject of peace at home in the  
South."

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### AMUSEMENTS.

—Miss Ida Hamilton, a Kentucky  
girl, who has won an unusual success on  
the stage, will have a prominent role in  
"Mary of Magdala," the play that Mrs.  
Fiske is to present at the Pike Theatre,  
Cincinnati, for two weeks, beginning  
March 3rd. Miss Hamilton comes from a  
distinguished Kentucky family, and  
is well known in Paris, Mt. Sterling and  
other cities. She is a niece of Mrs.  
Gen. Williams, of Mt. Sterling, and a  
cousin and namesake of Mrs. Col. R.  
G. Stoner, of Paris, the late owner of  
the famous Baron Wilkes and other  
horses. She has often been a visitor at  
the home of Mr. Sidney G. Clay, in this  
city. George and Carroll Hamilton,  
among the largest tobacco growers in  
the South, are also her cousins. Mrs.  
Col. Stoner is the regent of the Mr.  
Sterling chapter of the "Daughters of  
the American Revolution," and Mrs.  
Gen. Williams is regent of the chapter  
of the "Daughters of the Confederacy,"  
at Mt. Sterling. Miss Hamilton's  
godfather was Major Volney Lindsay,  
of Paris. Gen. Williams, Miss Hamil-  
ton's uncle by marriage, was United  
States Senator during the Hayes admin-  
istration, and ran for Governor of Ken-  
tucky against Blackburn, who defeated  
him by a small margin. Miss Hamil-  
ton's career on the stage has been brief,  
but remarkably successful. She has  
played with several prominent Ameri-  
can stars and has also won success in  
Australia. Her good work attracted  
the attention of Mrs. Fiske, who engaged  
her for the role of "Miriam," in her  
magnificent production of "Mary of  
Magdala." By her sympathetic and  
artistic portrayal of this role, Miss  
Hamilton has who high praise from  
the most distinguished dramatic writers  
in New York and Chicago. Her per-  
formance is considered one of the most  
artistic factors in the brilliant inter-  
pretation that the play receives at the  
hands of Mrs. Fiske and her company.

### "WEARY WILLIE WALKER."

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handsome costume and a play that is  
described as one continuous laugh,  
amusement seekers will be well pro-  
vided for at the Grand Opera House,  
next Friday, when there will be pre-  
sented the Comedy-drama, "Weary  
Willie Walker," a piece that has met  
with hearty favor at the hands of  
theatre-goers elsewhere. It abounds  
in ludicrous situations and fairly  
bristles with humor and action and the  
fun is clean and wholesome. Mr. Lloyd  
Ingraham, a comedian of wide popularity  
and peculiarly unique methods, essays  
the part of "Weary Willie." He has  
gotten away from the usual line of  
tramp portrayals and introduces a  
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## A FATAL HOTEL FIRE.

Nine Guests Lost Their Lives and Forty-Two Others Injured.

The Hotel Register Was Destroyed, Thus Making It Difficult to Ascertain the Number of Missing—Searching For Bodies.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Feb. 21.—Fire early Friday morning destroyed the Clifton hotel, cremated nine of the guests and caused injuries to 42 persons who were scorched or forced to jump to the frozen street from the second and third story windows. After an all day search in the debris four bodies have been recovered. It is now believed that five or more bodies remain in the ruins of the hotel, which is said to have been a flimsy structure, filled with delegates to the state Young Men's Christian association convention and the district convention of the Knights of Pythias. The hotel register was destroyed, thus making it difficult to ascertain the number of missing persons. Forty men worked in the rubbish all day and continued to dig for the bodies of the burned persons all night. The loss is \$60,000.

The dead: W. A. Mowery, Whatchell, Ia.; E. G. Young, Minneapolis; two unidentified men, bodies recovered; five bodies still in debris.

The fire originated in the basement, presumably from an electric wire. Night Clerk Wilson was on the third floor at the time. The flames were discovered by a bell boy and had already gained considerable headway. By the time the night clerk had been notified and the work of sounding the alarm had begun, escape was cut off from the ground floor. Instantly there were several faces at every window of guests clad only in their night robes, wildly calling for help.

The facilities of the fire department were meager, and each moment's delay increased the panic that had already prevailed.

One after the other the human forms were seen to hurl themselves from the windows and dash against the pavement below. Limbs were broken and the writhing mass of humanity that rapidly accumulated constituted a sickening sight. Those who jumped from the third-story windows had little hope of surviving the frightful leap, but few hesitated as the flames came nearer and nearer.

### SILVER JUBILEE.

The 25th Anniversary of the Election of Pope Leo XIII.

Rome, Feb. 21.—The twenty-fifth anniversary of the election of Pope Leo XIII. to the head of the Roman Catholic Church, was celebrated Friday in the vatican hall of the Beatification.

Admission was only by ticket, and about 4,000 persons were present. The majority of these stood in the regia and ducale halls, through which his holiness passed on the way to the vatican hall.

The ceremony consisted in the pope receiving delegations of pilgrims from all parts of the world. This was followed by the presentation of gifts to his holiness, chief of which was a magnificent triple crown, the offering of Roman Catholics throughout the world.

The presentation address was delivered by Cardinal Rospeggi, the pope's vicar and president of the committee which was appointed to make arrangements for the celebration of Friday's anniversary. Cardinal Rospeggi also presented to his holiness golden keys, which are symbolic of the pontifical authority.

### FOR TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP.

English Lawn Tennis Association Challenges America.

London, Feb. 21.—G. R. Newburn, secretary of the English Lawn Tennis association, Thursday dispatched a challenge to America for the international tennis championships. Both the Dohertys have promised to participate if they are wanted, but the representatives of the English association will not be selected until after the championship games in London. Newburn anticipates that the matches will be played on the Boston courts.

### Barricaded Negro Killed.

New Orleans, Feb. 21.—After holding half a hundred bluecoats at bay for several hours, during which scores of shots were exchanged, Lafayette Sims, a desperate Negro, was killed by the police early Friday morning in a Negro boarding house situated on South Rampart street.

### Made Favorable Report.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The house committee on printing favorably reported the senate resolution providing for the compilation under the direction of the attorney general of all state laws, relating to trusts and to the organization and regulation of corporations.

### To Defeat Legislation.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 21.—It is reported here that the money sharks of Chicago, who loan money to employees and take as security an assignment of their undue salaries, have raised a fund for the purpose of defeating legislation.

### Wireless Telegraph Stations.

Rome, Feb. 21.—The chamber of deputies Friday passed a bill providing for the construction of a wireless telegraph station to communicate with the stations now existing and the others contemplated.

## WINDOW GLASS ASSOCIATION.

Suit May Be Brought Against It Under Anti-Trust Law.

Columbus, O., Feb. 21.—Attorney General Sheets Friday addressed a communication to Leopold Mambourg, of Columbus, in which he advised Mambourg that if he had properly read the resolution promulgated on Thursday after the conference of the window glass manufacturers, it was the intention of the glass men to form a combination to control prices and the output. Judge Sheets politely asked Mambourg, who is the secretary of the American Window Glass association, with headquarters in Columbus, to enlighten him further as to the plans of the combination and to furnish him the names of the concerns it embraces.

"If the answer is not satisfactory," said Judge Sheets Friday night, "I shall bring suit under the anti-trust law to oust the combination from the state. I purpose to begin an immediate investigation."

The resolution to which Judge Sheets objects is the one in which it is agreed that the price of window glass shall be advanced on March 3, when another meeting is to be held to ratify the agreement. The same resolution declares it to be the purpose to raise prices further as occasion shall require, dependent upon the output and the demand. The question as to whether an advance is necessary or advisable is left to a committee composed of members of the several concerns interested.

### IS THE SUN INHABITED?

Astronomer Young, From Observations, Is Confident That It Is.

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 21.—Alexander Young, of Laporte, an astronomer, Friday announced that from observations made by him, he is confident that the sun is inhabited; that with his instruments he has seen on the sun's surface mountain sides with great and precipitous rocks which glow with prismatic colors, mingled with the greenness of a perennial vegetation and with a floral radiance more beautiful than that on earth. Beyond these mountains he says he saw valleys and plains where people live.

He says the solar spectrum is a division of the component parts of the electric current proceeding from the sun after it enters the confines of the earth's atmosphere, upon which is photographed the image of the solar fields of color and which spread over the vast surface of the sun.

### AGAINST LYNCHING.

The Kansas House Recommended a Stringent Law.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 21.—The house has recommended a stringent law against lynching. It provides that any sheriff who shall permit a prisoner to be taken from him shall immediately forfeit his office. Any person participating in a lynching may be punished by death or imprisonment for life, and any member of a mob at a lynching, whether he participates in the deed or not, may be imprisoned in the penitentiary for 25 years.

### GIVEN AN OVATION.

Adm. Schley, Gen. Joe Wheeler and Col. A. K. McClure in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Feb. 21.—Adm. Schley, Col. A. K. McClure and Gen. Joe Wheeler were given an ovation by the people of New Orleans Friday afternoon. They came at the invitation of the Progressive Union and after the Crescent theater had been filled 2,000 people stood around the doorways clamoring for admittance. Adm. Schley made a short address. Gen. Joe Wheeler was compelled to respond to the loud calls and made a happy speech.

### NINETY TURKS KILLED.

A Desperate Battle in a Defile Near Kastoria, Albania.

London, Feb. 21.—According to a dispatch from Sofia published in Saturday morning's Leader, desperate fighting has occurred between a small band of revolutionaries and 800 Turks in a defile close to the village of Berlik, near Kastoria, Albania. Ninety Turks were killed. The insurgents lost heavily but succeeded in gaining the guns.

### To Drive Scalpers Out of Business.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Committees representing the various passenger associations of the country met Friday and perfected the organization of the National Protective bureau, the purpose of which is to drive scalpers out of business.

### Received in Farewell Audience.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Count A. Von Quadt-Wykradt-Isny, the counselor of the German embassy, and the Countess Quadt were received in farewell audience by President and Mrs. Roosevelt Friday. They leave the United States soon for Berlin.

### Increased the Endowment Fund.

New York, Feb. 21.—Andrew Carnegie added \$125,000 to the endowment fund of the Carnegie laboratory of engineering at Stevens institute of technology. Carnegie in 1900 gave \$65,000 for the erection of the laboratory.

### A Scene of Enthusiasm.

London, Feb. 21.—There was a great scene of enthusiasm at Buffalo Bill's show when over 5,000 boys from the London schools attended the performance, carrying little American and British flags.

## SCOUTS CAPTURED.

The Ladrones Are Again Active Near Manila.

Gen. Davis Ordered Another Battalion of Scouts to the Scene—It Is Expected That Additional Troops Will Be Sent.

Manila, Feb. 23.—A force of Ladrones, under Gen. San Miguel, reappeared in Rizal province Saturday. They avoided an engagement with the main force in the south, but captured three small detachments of constabulary. The enemy surrounded the towns of Gainta and Taytay, 11 miles east of Manila, Saturday and captured 30 scouts and ten men of the constabulary, whom they disarmed and set free.

Sunday Inspector McIlwaine, at the head of ten constabulary, was surprised and captured near Montalban, 16 miles northeast of Manila. The Ladrones promised to release them if the constabulary would surrender their arms. While they were conferring on this point, McIlwaine made a dash for liberty and he and all the constabulary effected their escape.

When the news of the reappearance of Gen. San Miguel's force reached Manila, reinforcements of scouts and constabulary were hurried into the Rizal province. Gen. Allen and Col. Scott went to Antipolo and assumed command of the forces there. They met with small detachments of the enemy and a few skirmishes took place. They were, however, unable to locate the main body of Ladrones. Gen. Allen and Col. Scott are continuing the pursuit and hope to overtake the released prisoners.

It is said that Gen. San Miguel's force consists of 300 men, armed and uniformed. The zone of Ladrone activity extends from Calocan, four miles north of Manila, eastward to the mountains of Rizal and skirting the northern limits of Manila. The Manila police co-operated in Saturday's effort to corner the enemy. Secretary Winthrop, in the absence of Gov. Taft, requested Gen. Davis to furnish additional scouts, and Gen. Davis has ordered another battalion of scouts to report to Gen. Allen. It is expected that additional troops will be ordered out.

Gen. San Miguel's force is small, and the government is determined to speedily suppress it. San Miguel claims the insurgent leadership and fights under the Katipunan flag.

According to news from Albay, Luzon, a force of Ladrones attacked a small detachment of constabulary Friday. The constabulary retreated, but killed 11 of the enemy. Two of the constabulary were killed.

### SUBMARINE TORPEDO BOAT.

The Protector, a New Type of Vessel, Will Be Given a Trial.

New York, Feb. 23.—The submarine torpedo boat Protector, a new type of vessel, which will shortly be put through a series of trials for the purpose of demonstrating her capabilities to officers of the United States navy, is being overhauled at City Island and put in first-class condition for the coming tests. The Protector was built in Bridgeport, Ca., by her inventor and owner, Capt. Simon Lake. The vessel is designed for harbor defense. She is 60 feet long, of 11 feet beam, draws 12 feet of water and weighs about 200 tons. She is built of steel and equipped with two wheels to enable her to travel along the bottom of the sea. Her motive power is electricity when submerged and gasoline when cruising awash. There were two torpedo tubes, one fore and one aft, and an opening in her bow will admit or a diver leaving the boat to cut cables or mine connection. Her builder believes she can destroy submarine defenses in any harbor. During recent trials she carried a crew of eight men and nine passengers. A speed of 12 knots was easily made on her surface run.

### THE LAWTON MONUMENT.

The One Marking the Spot Where He Was Killed Unveiled.

Manila, Feb. 23.—Two hundred troops and hundreds of veterans participated Sunday in the unveiling of the monument marking the spot where Gen. Lawton was killed at San Mateo. Gen. Davis and others made speeches eulogizing Gen. Lawton. Commissioner Henry C. Ide will sail for home next Tuesday on an extended vacation, his health being bad. He will visit California, Vermont and Washington.

### To Change Two-Cent Stamp.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The two-cent postage stamp of the new series is generally unsatisfactory in appearance to the post office department and the bureau of engraving and printing and a new design for the stamp has been ordered.

Vice Gov. Wright Goes to Washington. Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 23.—Vice Gov. Luke E. Wright, of the Philippine islands, left for Washington Sunday at the request of Secretary Root. This probably will be his last visit to Washington before his return to the Philippines.

### A Blind Man's Act.

Wallace, Idaho, Feb. 23.—Incited by jealousy John P. Bjorkens, who is blind, shot Mrs. Hugh Smith twice in the breast and then shot himself. She has a husband and four children. She will die.

## WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

Was Observed in New York By Special Services.

New York, Feb. 23.—Washington's birthday was observed here by special services of patriotic societies and many clergymen made the anniversary the subject of their sermons.

The society of the Sons of the Revolution of the state of New York had its 13th annual service in the brick Presbyterian church.

At Carnegie hall a patriotic mass meeting was conducted under the auspices of the West Side branch of the Y. M. C. A. Patriotic airs were rendered by the Seventh regiment band and the New York festival chorus of 300 voices, the audience joining in the singing of the national anthem and the battle hymn of the republic.

Booker T. Washington was the orator at a memorial meeting held Sunday night in the academy of arts and sciences. The speaker devoted his address to the consideration of the race problem.

Mexico City, Feb. 23.—Washington's birthday was not formally observed by the American residents but the occasion was noted in pulpit utterances.

Rome, Feb. 23.—Beautiful spring like weather prevailed here Sunday and all the homes of Americans were bedecked with the stars and stripes. Because of Washington's birthday falling on a Sunday some objections were made to holding receptions Sunday. These objections, however, were smoothed away by making the reception at the United States embassy a purely informal affair, at which tea was served. It was a most enjoyable affair and the 600 Americans present included Dr. Nevin, rector of the Episcopal church; Dr. William Burt, head of the American Methodist missions in Europe; Bishop Budke, of St. Joseph, Mo.; Mgr. Farrelly, director of the American college; Mgr. Robert Seton, the prothonotary apostolic; Col. Tillman, of West Point, and Mr. and Miss Choate, Mr. and Mrs. Prescott Lawrence, of New York; Mrs. Frank Morris Avery, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Hickman, of Boston; Al Nelson Armour, of New York, and Sir Seymour and Lady Blane, the latter formerly Mrs. Henry Blake, of Boston. The Chinese minister with the staff of the legation also attended as a complement to the United States.

The American college gave a dinner in honor of the day at which toasts were drunk to the pope and President Roosevelt.

Dr. Nevin also gave a dinner Sunday night to several members of the Loyal Legion, including Gen. Sawtelle, Gen. Cosens, Gen. Ripley, Col. Poole and Maj. Abbott. The American and French ambassadors and Baron Blane, formerly Italian minister at Washington, were also among the guests.

### CALCIUM SALTS.

Nervous Diseases Can Be Cured By It Says Dr. Jacques Loeb.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—Dr. Jacques Loeb has discovered that muscular and nervous diseases, such as St. Vitus dance, paralysis agitans, locomotor ataxia and sleeplessness can be cured by administering calcium salts, that is, such salts as are found in well water and many foods. Announcement of this discovery in scientific research by the former head of the department of physiology at the University of Chicago has just been made. In one of the decennial publications, just issued by the University of Chicago, Dr. Loeb tells of his experiment on lower forms of life and the conclusions suggested in regard to human beings.

Simply stated, the conclusion is that the presence of calcium salts in the muscles is what prevents their twitching; that practically all nervous diseases are caused by the absence of the calcium, and that, therefore, to restore normal conditions and effect a cure, the remedy is calcium salts.

### DR. DUNCAN IS FREED.

Was Tried For Felonious Shooting of Bruce Head Last October.

Pittsburg, Feb. 23.—"We find the defendant not guilty," was the verdict rendered in the criminal court in the case of the Commonwealth against Dr. Ellis S. Duncan, charged with the felonious shooting of Bruce Head last October at the Wabash camp, near Greentree.

That the verdict is a popular one was shown by the fact that when the clerk read it the announcement that the defendant had been acquitted was greeted with cheers and a loud clapping of hands. This was quickly suppressed by the court officials. The doctor is happy, but refuses to talk of plans regarding his wife. Should she be divorced, Head will not marry her. Rumor has it that he will soon marry a young woman of Pittsburg.

### On a Social Visit.

Washington, Feb. 23.—Chas. Foster, former governor of Ohio and secretary of the treasury, arrived in Washington Sunday night. He said his visit was purely social, and that he would remain about a week.

### Amicably Settled.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 23.—There will be no strike of street car men here, an amicable settlement having been reached at a conference here of representatives of the Amalgamated Association of Street Car employees and officials of the Pittsburg Railway Co.

Colored Educational Mass Meeting. Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 23.—A largely attended educational mass meeting of Negroes was held at the People's tabernacle. Addresses upon racial questions were delivered by both white and colored speakers.

## WANTS THE MONEY.

Germany Requests the Immediate Payment of \$5,500.

The Matter Has Significance in View of the Fact That the Venezuelan Ships Taken By Germany Are Still Held.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The German government, through its representative here, Baron Speck von Sternburg, has made a request of Mr. Bowen for the immediate payment of the \$5,500 which it was stipulated in the protocols signed on February 13 should be paid within 30 days from that date, as a preliminary to the raising of the blockade against Venezuelan ports and the agreement to send the question of preferential treatment of the blockading nations to The Hague for determination. Mr. Bowen promptly declined to accede to the request, but informed Baron Sternburg that as provided in the protocol, they money would be paid to the German representative at Caracas 30 days from February 13, which would be on the 15th of March.

The reason that animated the German government in making the request is not disclosed here nor is Mr. Bowen aware of it. The matter, however, has some significance, perhaps, in view of the fact that the ships taken by the Germans during the blockade have not been returned to Venezuela. During the day Mr. Bowen had calls from the French ambassador, M. Jusserand, the Spanish minister, Senor Ojeda, and the Belgian minister, Baron Moncheur in regard to the claims of the citizens of their country against Venezuela. Rough drafts of these instruments are already on their way by mail to the European governments interested, but there are certain provisions regarding them about which the envoys desired to consult Mr. Bowen. The protocols are expected to reach their destinations the latter part of this week pending which no final steps for their joint signature can be taken.

London, Feb. 23.—The correspondent of the Standard at Brussels telegraphs that the protocol between Belgium and Venezuela will be signed this week. Belgium, says the correspondent, has obtained full satisfaction. The Belgian claimants will receive \$2,500,000 after the Anglo-German claims have been paid.

### MACEDONIANS ORGANIZED.

Four Thousand Armed Men Are Concentrated Fifty Miles From Sofia.

Vienna, Feb. 23.—It is reported that the Macedonian leader, Ehri Saraffoff, has organized within the past fortnight several well equipped Bulgarian bands in Macedonia, each consisting of about 250 men.

The Neue Freie Presse learns that 4,000 armed Macedonians are concentrated near the celebrated Rila monastery, 40 miles from Sofia, and are preparing to attack the town of Melnik in the Turkish province of Seres.

There is an unconfirmed rumor that the Albanians have attacked the Roumanian consulate at Mitrovitsa, Turkey, 20 miles north of Prishtina.

### HOUSE SUNDAY SESSION.

Tributes Paid to the Memory of Three Deceased Representatives.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The house held a session Sunday to pay tribute to the memories of three deceased members, the late Representative Tongue, of Oregon; the late Representative Rumole, of Iowa, and the late Representative Moody, of North Carolina. Mr. Moody, of Oregon, presided in the absence of Speaker Henderson. The customary resolutions were adopted and members delivered eulogies.

### MET A HORRIBLE DEATH.

Little Girl Burned Alive in a Coke Oven at Connellsville, Pa.

Connellsville, Pa., Feb. 23.—Mary Kohland, aged 11 years, met a horrible death Sunday night by being burned alive in a coke oven. The little girl, in running down the hill above the oven, fell and rolled into one of the hot ovens. Men at work nearby broke into the oven and secured the body, but it was burned to a crisp, hardly the semblance of a human form being left.

### Gunboat Boyaca Lost.

Panama, Feb. 23.—The gunboat Chuchito brought the news of the loss of the historic gunboat Boyaca while entering the channel of Port Bethsabe, 40 miles north of Agua Dulce. All on board saved.

### Gen. Wheaton's Condition Improved.

San Francisco, Feb. 23.—The condition of Gen. Lloyd Wheaton was so much improved Sunday that his physicians announced that his complete recovery was a question only of a few days.

### Mayor Rose Ill.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 23.—Mayor Rose, of Milwaukee, was attacked with acute indigestion at dinner. He had to leave the dining room and has since been confined to his bed. He arrived with the Milwaukee delegation to attend the National Bowling congress.

### Banker D. O. Mills Ill.

New York, Feb. 23.—D. O. Mills, the banker, who is in his 78th year, is ill. A week ago he contracted a severe cold which developed into the grip, and during the last three days he has been under the care of his physician.

## Just in Time.

Broadland, So. Dak., Feb. 23rd.—Beadle county has never been so worked up as during the last few weeks. Every one is talking of the wonderful case of G. W. Gray, of Broadland, the particulars of which are best told in the following statement which Mr. Gray has just published:

"I was dying. I had given up all hope. I was prostrate and as helpless as a little babe. I had been ailing with Kidney Trouble for many years and it finally turned to Bright's disease. All medicine had failed and I was in despair."

"I ordered one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and this first box helped me out of bed. I continued the treatment till now I am a strong, well man. I praise God for the day when I decided to use Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Everybody expected that Mr. Gray would die, and his remarkable recovery is regarded as little short of a miracle by all who know how very low he was. Dodd's Kidney Pills are certainly a wonderful remedy."

## In the Gallery.

Jimmy—I'd like ter have an opry glass some time.

Tommy—Oh, I dunno! I guess some uv dem gals on de stage looks better widout one.—Judge.

Three solid through trains daily Chicago to California. Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line.

It is a great misfortune not to have sense enough to speak well and judgment enough to speak little.—Cato.

Do not believe Pico's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—J. F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

The man with the muck-rake has a large family—mostly rakes.—United Presbyterian.

Any one can dye with Putnam Fadeless Dye, no experience required.

Forbearance is always more heroic than fighting.—Ram's Horn.

Truth releases from tyranny.—Ram's Horn.

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So says Mrs. Josie Irwin, of 325 So. College St., Nashville, Tenn., of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Never in the history of medicine has the demand for one particular remedy for female diseases equalled that attained by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and never during the lifetime of this wonderful medicine has the demand for it been so great as it is to-day.

From the Atlantic to the Pacific, and throughout the length and breadth of this great continent come the glad tidings of woman's sufferings relieved by it, and thousands upon thousands of letters are pouring in from grateful women saying that it will and positively does cure the worst forms of female complaints.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all women who are puzzled about their health to write her at Lynn, Mass., for advice. Such correspondence is seen by women only, and no charge is made.

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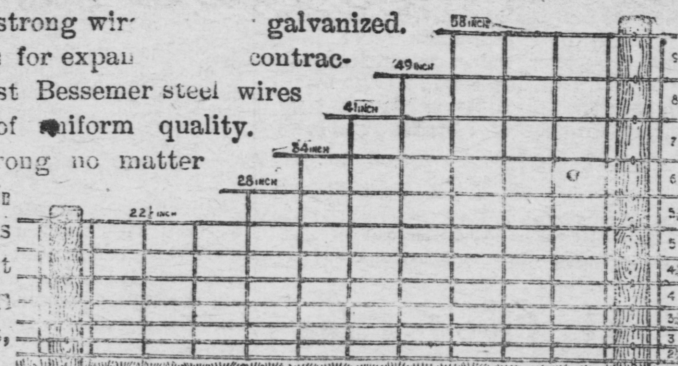
They will also have again this year Hemp Seed from the same parties that have grown their seed for many years. It is always good.

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**HUKILL TAILORING CO.**

**CONTINUED GROWTH.**

**The East Tennessee Telephone Company**

Has issued a statement of its business for the month of January, 1903, and the growth is shown as follows:

Total Number of Subscribers January 1, 1903.....	14,107
Number added during the month.....	731
Number discontinued.....	436
Net increase.....	2,555
Total Subscribers January 31st, 1903.....	14,322

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**Turney's Stallion "Rhythmic."**

E. D. Morgan, the New York banker, has increased his offer to \$25,000 for the blind trotting stallion Rhythmic, 2:08, but Jesse Turney, of this county, the owner of the champion money winning trotter of 1902, still declines to sell or name a price he would take for the great stallion. So far in 1903 the horse has earned \$3,000 for his owner, as his service fee is \$150 and twenty mares have been booked to him.

Turney's reason for not selling Rhythmic is that he is able to own the horse, and, having disposed of his other interests in this line, Rhythmic is the only horse now in his possession, as the dam of the son of Oakland Baron is dead.

"If I own a horse at all," said Turney, "he might as well be a good one. I believe Rhythmic, all conditions considered, is the greatest of loving trotters."

When asked at what figure he really valued Rhythmic, Turney said: "Well I think my horse is worth as much as any trotter or pacer alive, and you know they say Dan Patch sold for \$60,000."

**CHURCH CHIMES.**

—The first Bible printed in America was Elliot's Indian version, 1658-1663.

—The annual meeting of the Kentucky Conference, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, will be held in this city June 5-10 inclusive. About one hundred delegates will be present, and among this number several prominent speakers.

—There were two funerals preached in this city on Sunday afternoon last, that of Mrs. Jane McCann and Mrs. Wallace Steele.

**CUPID'S ARROW.**

—Gen. and Mrs. John B. Castleman announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alice Castleman, of Louisville, to Mr. Augustus C. Hone.

**LIVE STOCK, CROP, ETC.**

—W. O. Butler sold a Shetland pony for \$100.

—There were four Jay Birds sold at Lexington last week, at an average of \$450 per head.

—Chas. Ware, of Boyle, sold R. E. Goddard, of Mercer, his fine jack, Kentucky Colonel, for \$750.

—J. T. Lewis, of Newark, O., booked his mare, Nellie Birchwood 2:20, by Birchwood 2:15, to Jay Bird.

—Claude Redmon sold 17 hds of tobacco in Cincinnati, Thursday, at 8 to 10 cents, or an average of \$5.50.

—Garrard ranked second as a hemp producing county last year. It is believed she will rank first this year.

—The average value of a horse in the United States is \$49.07, being lowest (\$13.61) in Arizona and highest (\$86.12) in Rhode Island.

—A Chicago dispatch says cattle are now at the lowest price in six years. Dressed beef, however, is about as high as ever.

—It is estimated that the bees of the United States have produced, during the season just closed, seven million dollars worth of honey and wax.

—Joe Theager, of Lexington, has refused to price his 3-year-old colt, Ed. Gay, bred by Jay Bird. He thinks he is the best colt he ever owned.

—George Petticoard sold his crop of tobacco, raised on the G. W. Wyatt farm, to Bear, of Cynthiana, at \$11.50 straight for the 20,000 pounds.

—Tobacco from 19 acres of Woodford county land brought \$4,000, yet there are some people who contend that such land is high at \$100 and \$150 an acre.

—There is a great demand for hens and geese in Eastern markets. The former easily sell at nine cents a pound wholesale, and the latter at \$5 a dozen.

—Stewart & Collier, of Millersburg, have bought several crops of hemp at \$5.85. Of Mack Grimes, 13,000 pounds; of Jas. Hunter, 8,000 pounds; of Horace Purdy 10,000 pounds.

—Clover seed is selling at \$7.35 a bushel in Western Kentucky and will go higher, as the crop in Europe is a failure and the demand in this country for the reason is much greater.

—One of the very best ways of managing a small orchard after it comes into bearing is to fence with a good poultry proof fence, build the poultry house near the center of it and give the fowls a free range in it.

—Auctioneer Forsyth reports sale of McIntyre & McIntire: Horses \$25 to \$120. Horses in pairs \$180 to \$250. Mules \$75 to \$125. Mules in pairs \$250 to \$350. Cows \$15 to \$44. Heifers \$23. Steers \$32 to \$37. Sheep \$5 a head. Bull \$41. Mule colts \$45 to \$71. Sows \$20 to \$26. Sows and pigs \$30 to \$37. Shoats \$4.50 to \$7. Farm implements sold low. Crowd small.

JUDGE IRA JULIAN, of Frankfort, has announced his candidacy for Attorney General.

SEED OATS.—For Northern seed oats go to Geo. W. Stuart, directly opposite the freight depot.

THE threatened strike of Chicago City Railway employees has been averted by an agreement with the management.

If you need a machine for spring sewing and it don't suit to buy one call at our store and we will rent you one. We also have a full line of supplies.

SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO.,  
W. A. Lowell, Mgr.

MARRIAGE licenses during the past year in Philadelphia fell off more than 2,000. Too sleepy even to fall in love?

IMPORTANT.—Get prices on tobacco cotton at C. O. D. Store before buying elsewhere. They will save you money. (17Feb-5t)

SENATOR HANNA looks to his ex-slave pension bill to offset the influence of Mr. Roosevelt's "black and tan" policy.

**THE FAIR!**

Please You In Every Way Or Your Money Back.

That's part of our liberal policy. Poor economy to ask you to keep an article you don't want, and by so doing lose your good will. It is by your favor that we grow; without it we are as useless as a fifth wheel to a wagon. This store is making history, and such items as the following, are factors in its upbuilding,

**FOR FRIDAY ONLY.**

5 Cents for Men's Linen Collars, Linen all the way through, all the shapes you've been waiting for.

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3 Cents for Paper Lamp Shades, wire supports.

19 Cents for Henis' celebrated Fruit Press or Potato Mashers.

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3 Cents for Sad Iron Holders.

10 Cents for a complete Soldering Set.

5 Cents for Combination Graters.

5 Cents for Saw Files, from 4 1/2 to 8 inches included.

5 Cents for a pair of Steel Butt Hinges nearly all sizes.

3 Cents for Shoe Awls, assorted shapes.

12 Cents for Silver Plated Tea Bells.

10 Cents for Rubber Stamping Pads.

2 Cents for 5c Memorandum Books.

4 Cents a dozen for Shoe Laces.

9 Cents a box for Dominoes.

10 Cents for Lithographed Comb and Brush Cases, with mirror.

5 Cents for extra large Wash Rags, 2 1/2 for smaller sizes.

2 1/2 Cents each for unhandled China Cups.

10 Cents for 1/2 gallon size China Water Pitchers.

15 Cents for 25 cent floor Mops, a full pound of Cotton in every mop.

**THE FAIR**

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There are thousands yet to sell. You know we are not inviting you to an old, carried-over stock—every suit, overcoat, hat or arricle in our furnishing goods department is new, up-to-date, made this season and thoroughly reliable. Reduced to prices that easily convince you THERE IS MONEY SAVING HERE.

There is something more in these Suits and Overcoats than the attractive low prices. There is honest worth in the cloth, artistic effect in the coloring, a style and good appearance found only in first-class garments.

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25.00 Overcoats for.....	18.75	20.00 Suits for.....	15.00
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15.00 Overcoats for.....	11.25	15.00 Suits for.....	11.25
10.00 Overcoats for.....	7.50	10.00 Suits for.....	7.50
6.00 Overcoats for.....	4.75	6.00 Suits for.....	4.75

You can buy for Boys at this same proportion—25 per cent. off. No goods allowed to grow old here. We started this sale, determined to close out our Winter stock by the power of low price pullers. We are doing it—it's going fast.

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## THE BOURBON NEWS

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## BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

KENTUCKY River Bottom cultivated Hemp seed. See us before buying.  
E. F. SPEARS & SONS.

LENT.—Lent will begin to-morrow.

WAY DOWN.—Reduced prices on winter shoes at Thomson's.

LUXURIES.—Strawberries will soon be on the market. They are selling now in Louisville and Cincinnati at 50 cents a quart.

FOR TENDER FEET.—Dr. Reed's Cushion Sole Shoes a sure remedy—ask to see them. Thomson sole agent.

HOW TO MAKE MAPLE SUGAR.—You can make good maple sugar by boiling red corn cobs and brown sugar. It's worth trying.

MOLASSES.—Best New Orleans Molasses at "Little Cook's."

POULTRY [HIGH].—Dressed chickens were retailing on the market here Saturday for 50 cents each, the highest price in years.

ALWAYS ON HAND.—You can always find plenty of Gum Boots, Felt Boots, Overshoes, Rubbers, &c., at  
CLAY'S SHOE STORE.

ASH WEDNESDAY.—To-morrow will be "Ash Wednesday," celebrated by the Episcopal and Catholic churches, as the beginning of Lent.

COMING.—Dr. Bowen, optician, will be at A. J. Winters & Co.'s on Thursday, Feb. 26th.

CELEBRATED.—Washington's birthday was celebrated yesterday in a quiet way. The banks and postoffice were closed.

MADE FOR SALE.—Rev. Mr. Cheek has a very gentle mare for sale. Any lady can drive her.

BARGAINS IN TOWELS.—Don't fail to attend Harry Simon's Towel Sale to-day, to-morrow and Thursday, Feb. 24, 25 and 26. Good Towels at 9 cents each.

HEMP WANTED.—We will pay the highest cash market price for hemp.  
C. S. BRENT & BRO.

SILK TISSUE.—Don't fail to attend Harry Simon's Silk Tissue Sale to-day, to-morrow and Thursday. These goods will be sold at 29 cents per yard.

HELD OVER.—A colored man, named Joe Chinn, was tried in Judge Smith's court, Friday, charged with forging a check on Joe Houston. He was held to the Circuit Court under \$100 bond.

PEPPER WHISKEY.—You can buy Pepper Whiskey at 90 cents per bottle while it lasts at Saloshin & Co's. If you use whiskey at your house this is your chance.

HYGIENIC.—The Hygienic articles that have been sold heretofore by Mrs. Keith McClintock and Miss Alice Spears, will, in the future, be handled by Miss Mary Webb Gass, who will appreciate any orders received from her friends. 'Phone 73.

CLOVER SEED.—For choice clover seed go to Geo. W. Stuart, directly opposite the freight depot.

NOT CAUGHT.—Dan Skinner, the man who shot David Plunkett, at Hutchison Station, a short time since, has not been caught, reports to the contrary notwithstanding. He is still at large. Mr. Plunkett, who was shot, has recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital in Lexington and return to his home at Hutchison.

ALMOST AN ACCIDENT.—What might have been a serious accident happened Friday, at Lexington, while C. F. Neagle, formerly of this city, and Walter Baker were driving a high spirited horse to a sleigh. While attempting to turn across a street car track the sleigh overturned, but as Mr. Neagle held on to the reins the horse did not run away and no damage was done.

PRESENTATION.—At the meeting of the Masonic Lodge on Friday night, the members presented to Mr. James A. Stewart, a handsome Masonic charm, and some of his most intimate friends in the lodge presented him with a fine gold watch chain, in appreciation of his friendship and intimacy. He has been a valued member of this lodge for the past twenty-three years. Mr. Stewart will leave for Wheeling, W. Va., to reside on March 1st.

RENTED.—Auctioneer Forsyth rented publicly on Saturday for George Alexander, guardian for Miss Matilda Alexander, 438 1-3 acres of land, 125 to be cultivated, the remainder in grass, to Dan Smith and E. A. Liver, for \$6.25 per acre. Also, for Wm. Myall, committee for Geo. G. White, 140 acres of grass land to M. B. Lovell, at \$4.80; 25 acres of corn land to R. B. Hatcher, at \$8.25 an acre; frame dwelling to J. B. Northcott, for \$185, and a barn to Charles Whaley, for \$50.

## Trial By Jury.

R. C. Tucker was tried in Judge Hinton's Court, Saturday morning, by a jury on a warrant issued by his wife, charging him with disorderly conduct. Mr. Tucker acted as his own "lawyer," asked for a jury and argued his own case. A jury was empaneled and the evidence heard. I took the jury but three minutes to find a verdict of \$50 fine. Judge Hinton, in instructing the jury, said: "Find the defendant guilty. I cannot say what amount to fine him, but I think the limit is too little." The verdict was heard with general approval. (Had Charley Bronston or Col. Breckinridge been present they could certainly have learned a few things from the argument presented?) It was quite a disappointment to the audience to hear such a poor argument from one who has had so much experience at the "bar."

Sewing Machines of all kinds repaired free of charge, at the Singer office. THE SINGER MANUFACTURING CO., W. A. Lovell, Manager.

## Dr. Duncan Exonerated.

Dr. Ellis Duncan, of Louisville, was found not guilty of the charge of shooting Bruce Head with felonious intent.

Dr. Duncan was at once discharged and left the court room amid applause and hand-shaking on the part of enthusiastic friends.

No trial held in Pittsburg in years has elicited the interest and general sympathy for the accused, after the testimony defined his real position, that this one has.

It is reported that in case Dr. Duncan obtains a divorce, Head and Mrs. Duncan will promptly be married.

The most sensational feature of the closing day of the trial was the introduction of a letter, couched in degrading terms, written by Head to Mrs. Duncan. Mrs. Duncan was not called as a witness.

## Attention, Farmers!

I have the best and largest assortment of Plow Harness I have had for some time—such as Collars, Hames, Bridles, Trace Chains, Back Bands, &c. Also a nice line of Buggy Harness at a reasonable price.

I pay highest cash price for Hides, Sheep Skins and Tallow.

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SHOOTING SCRAPE.—Amanda Coleman, an ebony-hued character, with several aliases, shot and wounded her better-half of a husband, Andrew Coleman, Sunday, on the farm of W. M. Shropshire, in this county. Deputy Sheriff Burke arrested the woman and placed her in jail.

PEANUTS.—Fresh salted peanuts, also fresh roasted peanuts always on hand at J. E. Craven's.

SERMON TO ELKS.—Rev. Mr. Knott has announced that he will preach a special sermon to the Elks, at the Episcopal church, in this city, next Sunday night.

SUICIDE.—John Barry, aged 40 years, committed suicide at his home in Carlisle, Saturday, by shooting himself through the temple, living only a short time after the act. Imaginary trouble is supposed to have been the cause.

FOR RENT.—7-room-house, smoke-house, buggy-house, chicken-house, stable and dairy, with 5 acres of ground. Plenty of good water. Property just outside of city.

JNO. B. NORTHCOOT.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The Spring term of the Bourbon Circuit Court will convene on March 9th.

His Mother Was Dying and Actor Amused Audience While His Heart Was Breaking.

A dispatch from Kokomo, Ind., to the daily papers, says: "But few in the large audience which witnessed Hoyt's 'A Texas Steer,' at the Sipe theatre here, last night, had the slightest suspicion of the terrible sorrow which was weighing on the heart of James R. McCann, who was the jolly Texas Congressman, Maverick Brander. Time and time again the audience was convulsed with laughter at McCann's comedy. His every line was uttered faultlessly, while he knew that his mother was dying."

"At 6 o'clock that evening, while the company was seated at the supper table in their hotel, the clerk entered the dining room, carrying a telegram for Mr. McCann. He tore it open, and these were the words which he read: 'Mother is dying. Can not live till morning. Come at once.' It was sent from Paris, Ky., and was signed by Mr. McCann's sister."

"Mr. McCann immediately left the dining room, followed by the manager of the company. They learned that the first train for Cincinnati did not leave Kokomo until 1:30 a. m. "I'll go on to-night," said Mr. McCann. "It will be hard for me, but I will drown my sorrows in Maverick's fun." Those in the cast said that Mr. McCann's rendition of the role made famous by Tim Murphy was without a flaw."

## PERSONAL MENTION

—Junius Clay is quite sick, at his home in the country.

—Mrs. Harry Simon is in Cincinnati on a visit to relatives.

—Harold Johnson is confined to his home with illness.

—Bruce Miller and wife returned yesterday from a visit to Ashland.

—Miss Lizzie Daniels is the guest of Miss Mary Masters, in Lexington.

—Miss Ida Redmon has been the guest of Miss Lizzie Dimmitt, at Cynthiana.

—Mr. Tony Pfeifer, of this city, attended the tobacco fair, at Maysville, Saturday.

—Foster Lytle visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Lytle at Maysville over Sunday.

—Mrs. A. Barnett arrived home Saturday night from an extended visit to Missouri.

—Mrs. Carl Crawford left Friday for an extended visit to her mother, at Mt. Olivet, Miss.

—The Musical Club will meet with Miss Mary Lou Fithian on High street, on Saturday.

—Miss Sophia Ewalt left yesterday morning for Dayton, O., where she has accepted a position.

—Mr. Woodford Clay and Mr. Breckinridge Castleman have returned from a short visit to French Lick.

—Mrs. Henry Power, who is the guest of Mrs. Stuart McDowell of Belgravia, will return home this week.

—Miss West of Danville, and Miss Gregory, of Paris, have been visiting in the city.—Lexington Leader.

—D. C. Parrish returned from New York, Saturday night. Mrs. Parrish remained there with her daughter.

—Mrs. James Doty and Mrs. Wright, of this city, were visitors in Maysville on Saturday and attended the tobacco fair.

—W. R. Thomas, of Estill, Ky., was in the city Sunday to see his mother, Mrs. James M. Thomas, who has been quite ill.

—Mr. Hubert Vreeland, of Jefferson county, candidate for State Commissioner of Agriculture, was in the city, Saturday, and gave us a call.

—As the News goes to press the Jolly Fellows' German Club are in the midst of their first cotillion. From all indications it will be a brilliant success.

—Mr. L. Frank and Mr. B. A. Frank have returned from New York where they purchased the spring and summer stock of dry goods for Frank & Co.

—The Bourbon Cotillion Club, recently organized, gave their first entertainment Friday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall. The First Regiment Band, of Cincinnati, furnished the music for the occasion. The favors used were novel and handsome, said to have cost \$100. Mr. John Brennan and Miss Gertrude Renick led the cotillion introducing many new figures. At midnight a dainty lunch was served in the hall for those present. The dancers were: Misses Helen Blair (Cincinnati) Lucy Peck (Cincinnati), Laura Lyons (Louisville), Ashton Wilson (Charleston, W. Va.), Mabel Money (Ohio), Ollie Fant (Flemingsburg), Messrs. John Payne, Lexington, William Offutt, (Lexington), Dr. Dudley (Flemingsburg), Horace Cochran, (Maysville), Carroll Hamilton, (Mt. Sterling), Misses Gertrude Renick, Kate Alexander, Nancy Clay, Fannie Johnson, Messrs. John M. Brennan, J. Q. Ward, Sam'l Clay, George W. Clay, Duncan Bell, Dr. Chas. Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney G. Clay, Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Fithian, The spectators were, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Simms Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. George Stuart, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Vansant.

BANK STOCK STOCK.—Auctioneer A. T. Forsyth sold yesterday, eight shares of Citizens' Bank stock for \$127.50 per share.

FIVE CENTS PER POUND.—Genuine Buck-wheat Flour at "Little Cook's," 5 cents per pound.

LIBERAL REWARD.—Lost, between the residence of Dr. J. W. Jameson and J. M. Thomas', two costly shirt waists. Liberal reward will be paid for return of same to me. MRS. JOHN IRELAND.

I HAVE moved my office to 625 Main street, opposite the old stand, and have a complete line of Singer Sewing Machines, supplies, etc. Give us a call.

W. A. LOVELL, Mgr.,  
Singer Sewing Machine Co.

## DEATHS.

—Mrs. Clara Woodford Steele, wife of Wallace Steele, died Friday morning, of heart failure. She was aged about 32 years. She was a daughter of the late Wm. B. Woodford, and a sister of Mr. J. Hal. Woodford. She is survived by her husband and three daughters. The funeral took place from the home of J. Hal. Woodford, Sunday, at 3 p. m. The services were conducted by Elder B. A. Jenkins, assisted by Elder J. T. Sharrard, and the burial took place in the Paris cemetery.

—Mrs. Mary Oliver, the well-known and estimable widow of Taylor Oliver, was found dead in her yard near Versailles.

—Mr. Elijah Watkins died at his home near Fort Springs, in Fayette county, Sunday morning. He was 80 years of age and had been ill for some time. He was an ex-Confederate and a member of John C. Breckinridge Camp of the Confederate Veteran Association. The deceased was a grand-nephew of Henry Clay, the Great Commoner.

## Married in Lexington.

—Mr. Julius Herrick, of this city, and Miss Mary Martin were married yesterday afternoon at the parsonage of St. Paul's church, in Lexington. They left immediately after over the L. & N. railway for New Orleans, where they will spend their honeymoon.

A FIRST-CLASS tailoring establishment is something Paris has needed for a long while. We now have it in the Hukill Tailoring Co. You are not compelled to buy your clothes from a samples and have them made in Cincinnati. A large stock of goods to select from. Give them your order.

TO PAY LICENSE.—The License Ordinance Committee at Lexington has placed upon the list of taxable persons newspaper reporters. It is proposed to require every reporter to pay \$10 a year license.

SHOES FOR ELDERLY MEN.—Wide toes, roomy and comfortable from the start. Come in and see what we can offer you for \$2.00 to \$4.00.

CLAY'S SHOE STORE.

HAVE your clothes made at home where you can see their made and made like you want them. The Hukill Tailoring Co. are home people and do first-class tailoring. A large line of piece goods to select from.

## Will Probated.

The will of Mrs. Jane McCann, was probated yesterday.

She bequeathed to her grand-children, Dotie and Ethel McCann, daughters of the late Charles McCann, the sum of \$100.

To her three daughters, viz: Mrs. Mary J. Carpenter, Mrs. Nannie J. Brown and Mrs. Louie Hale the remaining portion of her real estate, each one to share equally in the same.

Her son, John M. McCann, was named as executor of the estate, with the request that the court require no surety from him.

The property consists of real estate in the city of Paris.

## Installation of Officers.

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## A WAYSIDE CABIN.

Alone it stands, in the weedy lap of a hollow, dusk and dim;  
Above its sagging ridge-pole peeps the chimney's ragged rim.  
The feathered plume of maple dips down to the wind-wash;  
The gables melt in the velvet of willow and elm and ash.

A mellow bank to the westward of violet fleece flung wide  
The low sun stains, as a rose-leaf might a purple vase's side.  
The afterglow on the forest melts, and shifts faint amber through,  
Till the buckeye's branching antlers drip with a film of golden dew.

The door swings slack, and the moss and mold its under edge befringe;  
Wild potato and buckwheat vines have tangled its one lone hinge.  
Umbel and tan, the toadstools push through rifts in the cabin floor,  
And birds have built in the chimney throat, where the blaze shall dance no more.

Here is the trail of a ruined fence, a field's forsaken sweep,  
Its edges girt with mullen spikes, its half-lost furrows deep.  
In webs of balm and moneywort and rivers of grassy mist,  
Alight with the scarlet milkweed bloom and thistles' amethyst.

But who was he who tilted the field when the furrowed lines were new,  
And down through the dewy green arched the singing corn-leaves blew?  
And whose the careful, busy hand that over the window-frame  
Entwined the woodland brier-vine with its soft rosettes of flame?

The forest-fragrant breezes sigh through the cabin bare and lone,  
But tell no tale of the sojourners its shaggy walls have known.  
The leaves that dance to the call of spring with autumn's frosts grow red—  
The wheel of time spins swiftly on, but here is a broken thread.

Chimney and cold the dew and mist brush over my face like spray,  
As out of the hollow's damp and gloom I seek my homeward way.  
A splinter of moonlight falls across the rough old cabin floor,  
And heavy scents of night blow in through the idly gaping door.  
—Hattie Whitney, in Youth's Companion.

## THE KIDNAPPED MILLIONAIRES

Tale of Wall Street and the Tropics

By FREDERICK U. ADAMS

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## CHAPTER X.

## SEYMOUR THE SLEUTH.

No word had been received from Mr. Bernard Seymour since his departure from St. Louis, at which time he requested that \$500 be forwarded to him at New Orleans. It was a peculiarity of the Bernard Seymour telegrams that they always contained stipulations for fresh funds. Mr. Stevens had a hearty respect for the Seymour luck. He overlooked any slight irregularities in methods, and accordingly telegraphed the money, and also full instructions concerning the search for the architect and contractor in charge of the supposititious Hestor country house.

No answer came from Mr. Seymour. When the staff of reporters arrived in New Orleans, they learned that Mr. Seymour had registered at the St. Charles Hotel. He had cashed the money order, but had not occupied his room, nor had he been seen at the hotel since the time of the financial transaction. The new arrivals made a vain search for the missing sleuth, and then went briskly to work without him.

When Bernard Seymour arrived in New Orleans, he was, as he expressed it, "much the worse for wear." When he learned that he had caused the arrest of a famous Chicago clergyman, instead of L. Sylvester Vincent, he lost no time in quitting St. Louis. He abandoned his baggage at the Planters' Hotel, and took the first train south.

Seymour arrived in New Orleans the following evening. He decided that the "West End"—the breathing place of the Southern metropolis—would be the most congenial place to begin operations. The "West End" is a cluster of hotels, fringing the bathing beaches on the south shore of Lake Pontchartrain, and serves as a more aristocratic Coney Island to New Orleans. Mr. Seymour found it brilliant with rows of electric lights. A score of orchestras and bands were blending their harmonies with the murmur of the pleasure-seeking throng.

"Hello, Seymour!"  
A heavy set man, with his face marked by a cavernous grin, pushed his way through a crowd and slapped Mr. Bernard Seymour on the shoulder.

"Well, you little ferret, what are you doing in New Orleans?"  
"Sir!"

"That's what I said—sir! Will you have a drink, sir?"  
"Yes, sir. Now I understand you," said Mr. Seymour. "Well, you old Indian, I did not know you were down here. What are you doing? Who are you doing?"

"Nothing and nobody," said Mr. Dick Bender. Mr. Bender was a newspaper man, whose natural ability was obscured by habits more congenial than regular. An excellent writer, he seldom held a position more than three months. He was the journalistic prototype of the tramp printer.

"Up against it, eh?" asked Seymour.

"I surely am up against it good and hard."

Dick Bender tossed off a big drink, and grinned as if his hard luck were something to be contemplated with joy.

"You don't drink enough, Dick," said Seymour. "You are a social recluse. Your abstinence has become a matter of common gossip. You should thaw out once in a while and become a mixer."

"Never mind my failings. Answer me some questions," said Mr. Bender, resting his foot on the rail, and swinging his arm in an easy position across the mahogany. "What are you doing in New Orleans?"

"None of your business." "True, but not to the point. I know what you are doing. You are on the kidnapped millionaire case." "Some one must have told you. The witness refuses to commit himself. Will you have another drink?"

"They had several. Under their influence Seymour told Dick Bender his mission, but was too discreet to reveal any information which had been received from New York. He invited Mr. Bender to take dinner with him, and that gentleman was too polite to refuse."

When Mr. Seymour awoke the following afternoon he was in a narrow bunk, which seemed to rise and fall as to the heave of a ship. He ascribed this to natural causes and went to sleep. When he again awoke it was dark. For a moment he lay quiet. To his ears came the splash of waters and the groaning and muttering of a ship. By the smoky light of a lantern he found his clothes scattered on the floor. He put them on as fast as possible, but the operation was delayed by the swaying of the room. The heavy breathing of a sleeper in an opposite bunk seemed to beat time to the motion of the ship. Seymour opened the curtains and peered in. It was Mr. Dick Bender. Seymour shook him savagely.

"Wake up, Bender!" he said as he clawed the sleeper around the bunk. "Wake up! We are kidnapped by pirates!" Bender opened his eyes, blinked, groaned, and dropped back into an untroubled sleep. Seymour again aroused him.

"We are kidnapped, I tell you!" he said in a hoarse whisper. "Wake up, and prepare to die like a man!"

"Forget it!" said Mr. Bender, and he again closed his eyes. But Seymour was persistent, and finally succeeded in arousing the drowsy Bender. While he was dressing, the door opened and a broad-shouldered sailor stepped into the apartment. Seymour looked for a weapon, but there was none in sight. The man surveyed them calmly for a moment and said:

"I thought I would come and wake you all up. When you gets on your togs, come on deck. You must be hungry by this time."

Seymour looked at him doubtfully. "Who are you?" he asked. "First mate," said the man. "First mate of what? You don't look like a pirate."

The man laughed with a chuckle which rumbled from the depths of a massive chest.

"Guess you gents is a bit mixed," he said. "Forgotten me, hev ye? I'm first mate of the schooner 'Sam Walker.' You knew me last night all right."

"You have slipped my memory since," said Seymour. "Where are we, and where are we supposed to be going?"

"Come on deck," said the first mate. "It is hot below. Come on deck and meet Captain Parker. Prob'ly you know him better," and the sailor opened the door and went away.

"Well, what do you think of this?" said Seymour as he sat down on the edge of the bunk to collect his thoughts. "Do you know anything about it, Bender?"

"Not a thing," said that gentleman. "I remember meeting some sailor men somewhere. That's all."

They stumbled through a passage-way and up a narrow flight of stairs. A draught of fresh night air struck their faces and was delightfully cool and refreshing. The outline of a short, stocky seaman, with a gleam of gold braid on shoulders and cap, was silhouetted at the head of the winding stairs. He stepped forward as Seymour and Bender came in sight.

"Haou de ye dew, Mr. Seymour?" he said, extending a large, freckled hand, which Mr. Seymour grasped rather cautiously. "Haou air ye, Mister Bender? Did ye sleep sound?"

"I should say we did," said Seymour, reassured by the cordiality of the greeting and by the honest face of the Yankee skipper. "We are a bit mixed about this voyage, Captain. How did we come aboard, and where are we headed for?"

"I reckon you boys war a bit slewed up last night, or rather this mornin'," said Captain Parker. "Ain't ye hungry? I reckon so. Ther cook has somethin' ready for ye. Come on and eat it while it's good and hot, and I will tell ye all erbout it."

They went into the little cabin. The darkey cook appeared with a steaming dish of steak, some hot corn bread, baked potatoes, coffee and vegetables. The voyagers fell upon the savory spread with avidity.

After eating a few minutes Seymour said to the captain: "Kindly explain to us how we happen to enjoy your hospitality on the good ship 'Sam Walker.'"

It was a long story, but the essence of it was that Bill Howe, the first mate of the "Sam Walker," was on shore leave, and at an early hour had met the convivial Seymour and Bender. They had declared the sail-

or the best fellow in the world, and would not listen to his departure.

"You and Bill hove in sight about six o'clock this mornin'," said Capt. Parker, as he passed the steak to Seymour for the third time. "Of course, I seen that ye was a bit under the weather, but ye talked all square and fair, sayin' ye wanted to take a cruise, and when I said the 'Sam Walker' wuz goin' to Havana, you said that wuz the place ye wanted ter go to. So you paid me the money for passage for both of ye, and we cast off and headed out inter the Gulf erbout eight o'clock this ere mornin'. Ye fooled aroun' awhile, clum out on ther bowsprit, did various monkeyshines, and then went below. That's all thar is, and then Capt. Parker laughed with a vigor hearty and pleasing."

"From early childhood I have longed to go to Havana," said Mr. Seymour. "Why I should select this special time is not readily apparent, but it is well. Cheer up, Bender! Once again an aqueous toast to Capt. Parker and his gallant crew."

Having done ample justice to the food before them, the voyagers followed Capt. Parker to the deck of the vessel. The "Sam Walker" was a large, three-masted schooner. They found seats on the after deck. A big Swede stood at the wheel, and lazily revolved it as the fresh breeze came in irregular gusts from the southwest. The air was fragrant with the odor of newly-sawed lumber, and Seymour noticed, for the first time, that the decks between the masts were piled high with timber.

"Hev a seegar," said Capt. Parker, passing a box to Mr. Seymour. "I kin afford to be generous, seein' as how you bought 'em. You gave me twenty dollars and told me to buy the best thar was; and I reckon you'll find them all right."

"You seem to be in the lumber trade," said Seymour, as he took a cigar and passed the box to Dick Bender.

"Yes, I haul a right smart of lumber an' stuff in the course of a year," said Capt. Parker. Like all New England Yankees who live in southern states, his dialect was a mixture of northern and southern idioms.

"You must know some contractors," said Seymour. Though his field of detective endeavor was limited to the area of a "lumber hooker," on the broad expanse of the Gulf of Mexico, the newspaper instinct was strong within him.

"Reckon I know erbout all ther contractors in an' round New Or-



LET'S SEE WHAT IN THUNDER WAS HIS NAME?

leans," said Capt. Parker, with some pride. "The 'Sam Walker' has carried many a batch of timber up an' down these here coasts."

"Did you ever carry any lumber for a man named Walter B. Hestor?" asked Seymour. "Talk about your thousand to one shots," he said to himself, "this certainly is one of them."

"Hestor?" said Capt. Parker reflectively. "Hestor? Thar ain't no contractor by that name that I ever heern on."

"He is not a contractor," explained Seymour. "He is a New York millionaire, whom I know very well. He built a house on some island in the West Indies a year or so ago."

"What sort of a man wuz he?" asked Capt. Parker. "What did he dew?"

"He did newspaper work for fun," said Seymour. "He had lots of money, and went all over the world looking for good stories."

"Did he own a yacht—a steam yacht?"

"Yes," answered Seymour, leaning forward in his excitement. "Say, Bill!"

The first mate was talking with the Swede wheelman. He stepped over and joined the group when Capt. Parker called him.

"What wuz ther name of that dude who owned the 'Shark'?" he asked. "You know who I mean. The one that Col. McIntyre built that air house for."

Seymour dropped his cigar. The temptation to yell almost overwhelmed him.

"Let's see; what in thunder was his name?" said the big sailor, removing his cap and running his hand through a mass of red hair. "Some thing like Hanson or Hampton. That ain't it. There was an 's' in it. He was an odd sort of a fish. Raising hell all the time. Let's see, Hissor, Hissor, Hestor—that's it. I knew dummed well I could think of it. He had the steam yacht 'Shark' and a quiet sort of a chap named Waters was her captain. Mighty fine boat, the 'Shark!' Run like thunder and lightning! Why? What about him?"

Seymour gave Bender a violent kick on the shin.

"Nothin'. This here gentleman was askin' erbout him," said Capt. Parker.

"Hestor is an old friend of mine," explained Seymour. "Where is the Col. McIntyre you spoke of? Is he a New Orleans contractor?"

"He used ter be," said Capt. Parker. "He has moved ter Havana. This here load of lumber is fer him. He's buildin' a new hotel in Havana."

"Is he in Havana now?" "Suppose so," said the captain. "Guess he'll be down ter the dock ter see us come in. He's in er mighty big burry erbout this ere bunch of lumber. Bin' telegraphin' and raisin' blazes erbout it."

Seymour changed the subject. He was so elated that he felt like climbing the shrouds, and yelling like a Comanche Indian. The one thing which worried him was whether or not he had told Bender anything about Hestor during the preceding evening. The look of pained surprise on Bender's face, when his ankle felt the impact of Seymour's foot, was evidence that he knew nothing of Hestor or his complicity in the millionaire mystery.

Seymour vented his joy and concealed his triumph in song. The temptation to celebrate in drink was strong, but his repentance was sincere and his determination to reform was earnest. So he sang. As a vocalist, Mr. Seymour was handicapped by the circumstance that he knew neither the words nor the tune to any song. What he lacked in technique was recompensed in energy. His first effort, as expressed in words, was about as follows:

"Yo ho, my lads, the wind blows free;  
A pleasant gale is on the sea—  
And here we rumble de tum,  
Ra le da da, de tum, dum, dum,  
And ere we part from England's shore to-night,  
A song we'll sing to home da rumty digt  
Then here's to the sailor,  
Here's to his heart so true (sing there, Bender!)"

Who will think of him upon the waters  
blu-u-u-u-u.

(All together.)  
Sailing, sailing, over the mountain main;  
And many a stormy wind shall blow ere  
Jack comes home again.  
Sailing, sailing, der rumty, dum de da in,  
And many a stormy wind shall  
blu-o-o-o-ow  
"Ere Jack comes ho-o-ome a-a-a-again!"

The negro cook stood in the companion-way and joined in the chorus with a deep baritone, which did much to neutralize the rather harsh tenor of the eager Seymour, and the uncertain bass of Mr. Dick Bender. Capt. Parker did not sing, but was liberal in his applause.

[To Be Continued.]

## The Dove and the Cat.

Maj. Shattuck of the signal corps tells an amusing story of an old-time "religious revival" meeting at a negro church near Savannah. In order that the revival spirit might be quickened it was arranged that the preacher should give a signal when he thought the excitement was highest, and from the attic, through a hole cut in the ceiling directly over the pulpit, the sexton was to shove down a pure white dove, whose flight around the church and over the heads of the audience was expected to have an inspiring effect, and as far as emotional excitement was concerned, to cap the climax. All went well at the start; the church was packed; the preacher's text was "In the form of a dove," and as he piled up his eloquent periods the excitement was strong. Then the opportune moment arrived—the signal was given—and the packed audience was scared out of its wits on looking up to the ceiling and beholding a cat, with a clothes line around its middle, yowling and spitting, being slowly lowered over the preacher's head. The preacher called out to the sexton in the attic: "What's de dove?" And the sexton's voice came down through the opening so you could hear it a block: "Inside de cat!" —Chicago Daily News.

## How Jacques Tissot Painted.

An interesting story is told of Jacques Tissot, the great French painter, lately deceased. While in England he painted a beautiful religious picture and, meeting a countrywoman, asked her opinion of his work. "It's a chef d'oeuvre," she replied, giving a remarkably just and detailed appreciation of the various merits of the painting. "Are you satisfied?" asked a friend. Tissot answered in the negative. He entirely repainted his picture, working night and day.

When finished he sent for his fair critic, who pronounced it "admirable," and remained silently admiring it with smiling criticism. "Are you satisfied?" asked the friend again when the lady departed. "No," answered the artist, and set to work for the third time.

When the Parisienne saw the new painting she gazed at it for some moments with evident emotion, and then without a word sank softly to her knees and began to pray. "Are you satisfied now?" whispered the friend. And Tissot said, "Yes."

## Couldn't Get Hang of It.

Bridget and Norah Murphy, fresh from the mosquitoes of Ellis Island, had set out to make their "return calls" on their cousins, the McGooligans, at service in an aristocratic part of the city. Upon arriving at the house, instead of being confronted by the usual bell knob, nothing but a stinging, mean apology of a knob in the shape of a little black button met them. Bridget got hold of the button and gave it a pull, but her fingers slipped before there was any audible ring from within. Again and again she tried with the same result, until she turned the knob over to "Nonie." Then the latter yanked and twisted without success, until both stood on the landing gazing helplessly at each other. Then light came to Bridget.

"I'll tell you phwat it is," she said. "They're playin' th' joke on us fur greenhorns an' th' divil are within a bouldin' th' shtrinkin'!"

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"My friends tried to persuade me to consult my physician; but dreading that he would insist on using the knife, I would not consent to go. Instead I got a small bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I took the former according to directions, and spread a thick layer of the Ointment on a linen cloth and placed it on the swelling. On renewing it I would bathe my neck in very warm water and Cuticura Soap. In a few days the swelling to a head, when it broke. Every morning it was opened with a large sterilized needle, squeezed and bathed, and fresh Ointment put on. Pus and blood, and a yellow, cheesy, tumorous matter came out. In about three or four weeks' time this treatment completely eliminated boil and tumor. The soreness that had ex-

tended down into my chest was all gone, and my neck now seems to be perfectly well.

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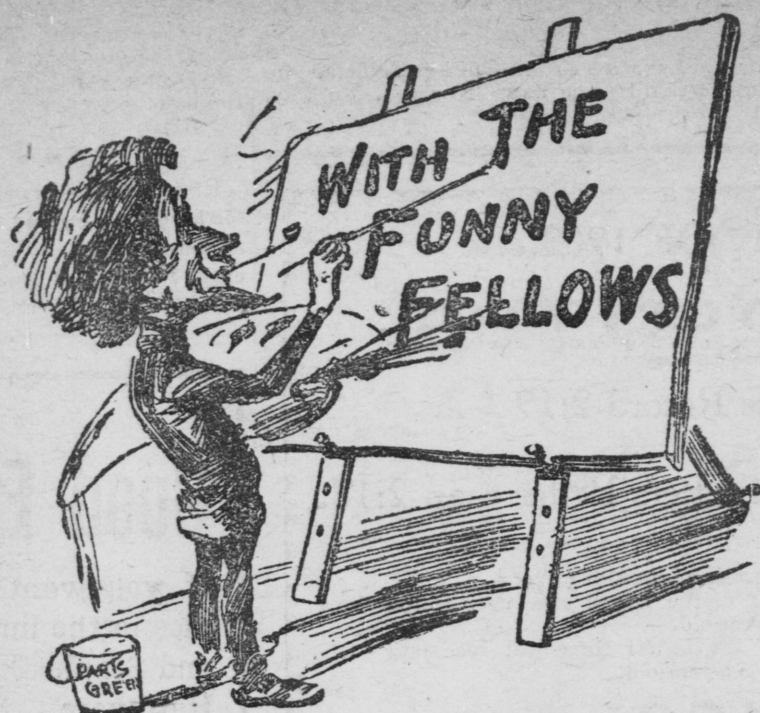
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"What did he do?"

"He ordered a second piece of pie just to baffle the fellow, and is now in bed with a horrible attack of acute indigestion."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

#### NOT A WHOLE ONE.



She—Ain't your little sister very small for her age?  
He—She's just a half sister.—Detroit Free Press.

#### An Easy Target.

Death dearly loves a shining mark. It has been quite often said; That's why his shaft is oftentimes aimed At the shining, hairless head.—Chicago Daily News.

#### Too Late.

"Can't you hurry a bit, Clara? We must catch the Savoyers and congratulate them on their marriage."  
"There's no use hurrying for that—it's too late to congratulate them, anyhow; they've been married a month."—Life.

#### From Experience.

"Henry," said the woman with compressed lips, "do you remember that we first met by accident on a railroad?"  
"Yes," replied the henpecked man sadly, "railroad accidents always turn out disastrously."—Chicago Daily News.

#### Raises the Price.

"A reputation for honesty is a valuable asset," said the statesman.  
"Yes, indeed," replied Senator Glucose. "No one would dare to offer a man with such a reputation a small bribe."—Brooklyn Life.

#### A Plea for Better Things.

The roads are not passable, Not even jackrabbits; And the people who travel them Should turn out and gravel them.—Shady Corner (O.) Gazette.

#### GAME BIRD SURE ENOUGH.



Sambo—Dat ain't no game chicken. Uncle Rastus—He done swallowed dese dice, den trowed dem up again and dey done come 7-11. Don't dat show he's a game chicken?—Milwaukee Sentinel.

#### Good Beginnings.

Husband—We've got to economize and lay something aside for a rainy day.  
Wife—That reminds me, dear. I need a new rainy day skirt.—N. Y. Journal.

#### Bissie at Home.

Clara—Don't you love to hear me sing, Clarence?  
Clarence—Honestly, Clara, I'd rather hear you sing; for then I know she is in good humor.—Detroit Free Press.

#### Generosity.

Father (visiting son at college)—Pretty good cigars you smoke, my boy; I can't afford cigars like these.  
Son—Fill your case, dad; fill your case.—Harvard Lampoon.

#### His Word.

He—Darling, do you think your father will ever forgive me for eloping with you?  
She—He said he would.—N. Y. Herald.

#### A Hard Times Love Affair.

She—This narrow band of gold is very sweet, of course; but you—you said you intended to bring me a cluster diamond ring.

He—Y-e-s, but afterward it occurred to me that such a ring would hide those lovely dimples in your fingers.

She—Oh, you darling.—N. Y. Weekly.

#### Untempted.

"I am glad to note," said the friend, "that gambling is a vice that has no temptation for you."

"None whatever," answered Senator Sorghum. "I am unable to find any excuse for a man's risking his money when there are so many sure things lying around begging for attention."—Washington Star.

#### Not Interested.

First Citizen—There is to be a big meeting to-night, a great outpouring of the masses to devise ways and means to reform the city government, so that its affairs may be administered with strict economy. Come along.

Second Citizen—Um—I'd rather not. Fact is, I am after an office myself.—N. Y. Weekly.

#### Extortion from the Inexperienced.

"It cost me \$1,000 to get my divorce," said the Boston woman.  
"You were swindled," replied the woman from Chicago.

"That's about twice as much as I ever paid for any of mine."—Philadelphia Record.

#### The Wishing Habit.

Clarence—I wish I had lots of money.  
Uncle Tom—If one could get what he wished for, I think I should wish for common sense, not for money.  
Clarence—Naturally, everybody wishes for what he hasn't got.—Tit Bits.

#### SHE FURNISHED THE WILL.



He—So your husband has given up smoking? It requires a pretty strong will to accomplish that!  
She—Well, I'd have you understand that I have a strong will!—Der Floh.

#### Through a Glass.

"So Prof. Armerook is dead. I suppose he studied too hard."  
"No, the thirst he died of was not for knowledge."

"Well, at any rate, it was spiritual over-exertion."—N. Y. Herald.

#### Study in Mathematics.

Pushquill—I hear that Bounderman jilted that rich Skinner girl to marry an artist's model.  
Inksling—Yes; extraordinary taste. Gave up a fortune of six figures for a fortune of one.—N. Y. Herald.

#### Contrary to Tradition.

When Bridget lights the kitchen fire she uses kerosene;  
There is a little boy who oft eats apples that are green.  
And in spite of all that has been sung and all that has been said,  
It is a fact that neither Bridget nor the boy is dead.—Washington Star.

#### THE SERVANT'S QUESTION.



Mrs. Newly Wed (from above)—Bridget! Put the lemons on the ice so they won't get sour.  
Bridget (to herself)—Is it any wonder that I ask doobie pay for serving the loikes of that?—N. Y. Times.

#### OLD BIBLE MANUSCRIPT.

The Most Ancient Scriptural Writing in Existence Discovered in Syria.

What is claimed to be the oldest Biblical manuscript extant was lately discovered in Syria, and is now in safe keeping at Cairo. It comprises the Pentateuch, written in Samaritan characters on gazelle parchment, and its date is the year 116 of the Moslem era, which is equivalent to the year 735 A. D. It is declared to be far older than any of the Hebrew Biblical manuscripts in the libraries of Europe or America. It is stated that the oldest manuscript in the British museum is of the year 1339 A. D., and this has hitherto been supposed to be the oldest in the world. The newly discovered manuscript contains immediately after the decalogue a passage of about 15 lines that does not exist in the authorized version. It is claimed that this passage is likely to clear up several long-disputed points.

#### TO WOMEN'S DEFENSE.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore Tells Temperance Union She Never Knew One Who Drank.

Women as a class are not intemperate, declares Mrs. Mary A. Livermore. In an address before the Massachusetts Woman's Christian Temperance Union at Boston she said:

"I have been asked many times recently if in my opinion women are becoming addicted to the use of liquor. I have been shown statements that they carry it so far as to get intoxicated. And, further, that they are deteriorating in the social line generally. My acquaintance it extensive and I have a large correspondence, but I have never known a drinking woman. I do not mean that I have never seen one, for I have seen them on the streets, but I did not know them, and I have never known a woman gambler and have never known one who smoked cigarettes. If there are such, they are not among my acquaintances."

#### DIGS UP BONES OF GIANTS.

An Illinois Farmer Finds a Prehistoric Cemetery in a High Mound.

A prehistoric graveyard has been discovered on the farm of Solomon Hedrick, in Henry county, Ill. A large number of human skeletons have been found, and all are eight feet or more in height. A mound 35 feet high had been built of gravel and sand. A roadway 20 feet in width led up to the top of the mound.

When about 12 feet of the apex of the mound had been removed the skeletons were found. The bones are large in size and the teeth are highly polished and well preserved. Ivory heads, a shield made of bone and other articles were found in the graves.

Hedrick will dig up the entire field in the hope of finding valuable articles.

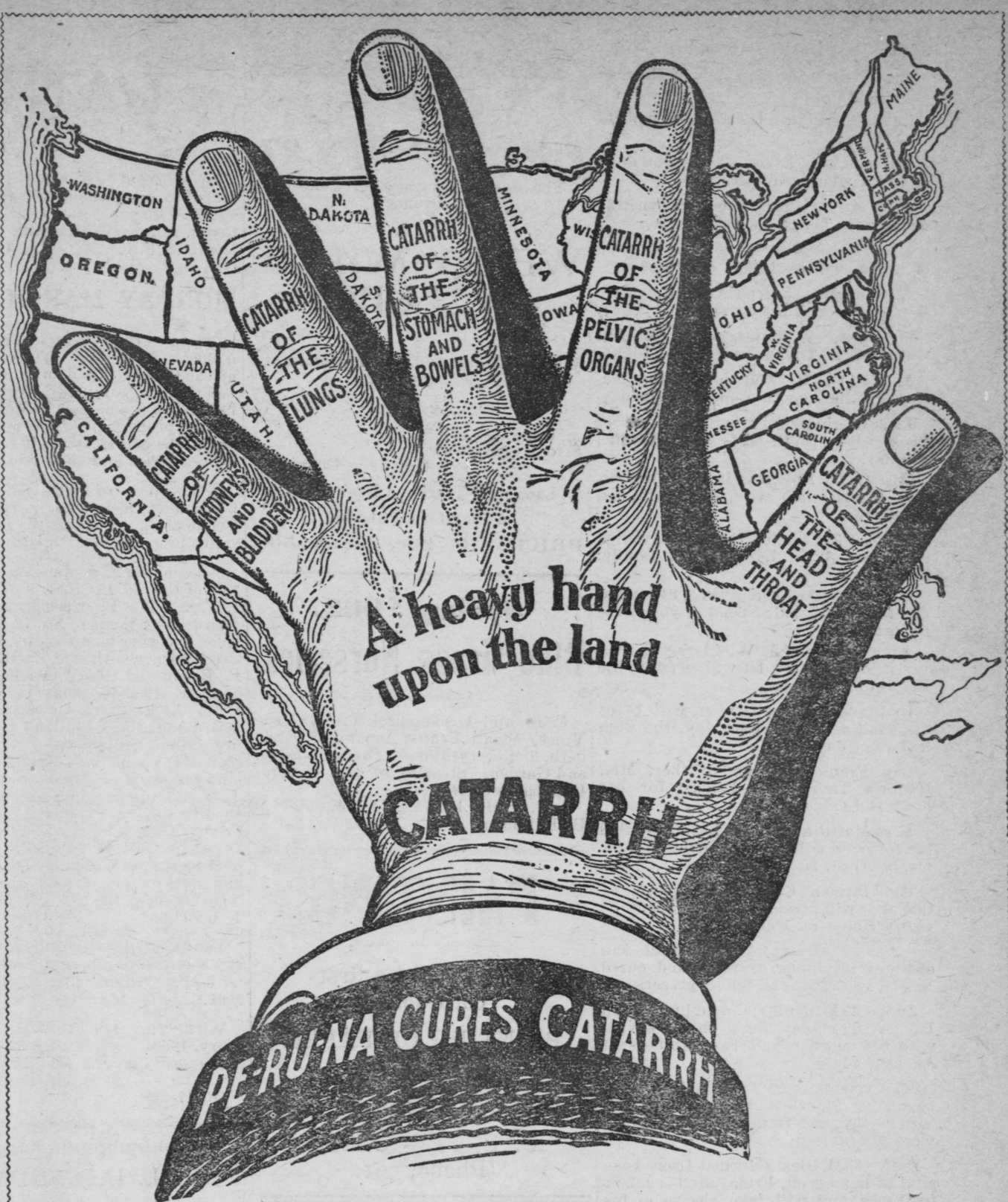
#### OPENS HER MANSION.

Strangers See Art Treasures in Mrs. Gardner's Venetian Palace for Free.

Mrs. Jack Gardner's Venetian palace at Boston will be open to the public the first two weeks of each week. The admission will be one dollar, and only 200 tickets will be sold each day. Some time ago Mrs. Gardner, in order to escape paying duty on her many imported art treasures, incorporated her palace as the "Isabella Stewart Gardner Art Museum," and now, following out the requirements of her charter, she opens her magnificent home to the public.

#### MARKET REPORT.

Cincinnati, Feb. 21.			
CATTLE—Common	3 00	@	3 90
Butcher steers	4 60	@	4 65
CALVES—Extra	8 00	@	9 00
HOGS—Ch. packers	7 00	@	7 30
Mixed packers	7 10	@	7 25
SHEEP—Extra	4 85	@	5 15
LAMBS—Extra	6 85	@	6 90
FLOUR—Spring pat.	3 90	@	4 20
WHEAT—No. 2 red		@	79 1/2
CORN—No. 2 mixed		@	46
OATS—No. 2 mixed		@	38
RYE—No. 2		@	58 1/2
HAY—Ch. timothy		@	17 00
PORK—Clear cut		@	19 80
LARD—Steam		@	10 50
BUTTER—Ch. dairy	13	@	15
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APPLES—Fancy	3 00	@	3 50
POTATOES—Per bbl	1 50	@	1 75
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Old	7 50	@	16 25
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FLOUR—Winter pat.	3 60	@	3 76
WHEAT—No. 2 red	74 1/2	@	75
No. 3 red	72 1/2	@	73
CORN—No. 2 mixed		@	44
OATS—No. 2 mixed		@	24
RYE—No. 2		@	48 1/2
PORK—Mess	17 50	@	17 62 1/2
LARD—Steam	9 57 1/2	@	9 60
New York.			
FLOUR—Win. st. rts.	3 50	@	3 55
WHEAT—No. 2 red		@	82
CORN—No. 2 mixed		@	60
OATS—No. 2 white		@	43 1/2
RYE—Western		@	60 1/2
PORK—Mess	18 75	@	19 00
LARD—Steam		@	10 15
Baltimore.			
WHEAT—No. 2 red	80 1/2	@	80 3/4
CORN—No. 2 mixed	54 1/2	@	54 3/4
OATS—No. 2 white		@	42 1/2
CATTLE—Butchers	5 10	@	5 25
HOGS—Western	7 25	@	7 50
Louisville.			
WHEAT—No. 2 red		@	79
CORN—No. 2 mixed		@	50
OATS—No. 2 mixed		@	38 1/2
PORK—Mess		@	17 00
LARD—Steam		@	10 00
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WHEAT—No. 2 red		@	76
CORN—No. 2 mixed		@	44 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed		@	36 1/2



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## MILLERSBURG.

Tom Judy is still confined to his room. Jas Collins is very low with consumption.

Caleb Corrington has a severe spell of La Grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Thomason moved to Thaxton farm last week.

Mrs. Anna Jefferson has been visiting relatives in Mason for past week.

Miss Louise Best, of Mason, is guest of her aunt, Mrs. Joseph A. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Miller have been on the sick list for the past week.

Mr. Jas. Woolums, of Hutchison, was guest of friends here Friday night.

J. Will Clarke won the sewing machine in the shooting match Saturday.

Lacy Clarke, of Paris, was guest of his brothers, Will and Smith Clarke, Sunday.

Miss Lydia Brown visited her brother, Ed. Brown, and wife, at Cynthiana, Sunday.

Dr. Zed Layson, of Lexington, visited his father, Wm. Layson, and family, Friday.

Miss Mary A. Purnell is agent for Ladies Home Journal. Send in your subscriptions.

All accounts of J. W. Clarke & Co., not paid by March 1st will be put in the hands of an officer.

Dr. Landman, the Oculist, will be at the Fleming House, Saturday, the 28th inst., one day only.

Mrs. Frank Moore and mother, Mrs. Hadesa Thorn, left Friday for her home in Lexington, Va.

Miss Mattie and Mary Layson visited the former's sister, Mrs. Garrett Weather, at Avon, last week.

The Pitman Concert Company, of Chicago, will give an entertainment at Opera House on March 6th.

At L. F. Myers' Meat Market you can get all kinds of fresh and cured meats, vegetables and family groceries.

Judge J. E. Hull and daughter, Anna L., left Thursday for a month's visit with his mother and two brothers at Apopka, Fla.

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Prof. C. M. Best returned from hospital at Lexington, Friday, and is much improved, and will take charge of his classes to-day. Mrs. Best is better.

Misses Mary and Annabelle Boulden visited their uncle, Jno. W. Boulden, and aunt, Mrs. Dr. Hunter, at Washington, from Friday to Monday.

Dr. F. A. Herbert, Jas. Anthur, Jas. B. Cray, John and Ashby Leer, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Butler, S. C. and Jas. Carpenter, Ed. Martin, Wm. Judy, Sr., and Jr., Thos. A. Vimont, John Bedford, Wm. Vimont, Robt. Hughes and Thos. Prather attended the Tobacco Fair, at Maysville, Saturday.

SEED OATS.—Just received a car-load of choice Northern seed oats.

tf GEO. W. STUART.

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MONDAY MARCH 2, 1903,

between the hours of twelve o'clock and one o'clock, p. m. at the Court house door in Paris, Bourbon County, Kentucky, expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, the following property, (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy Plaintiff's debt, interest and costs), to-wit:

A certain lot of land lying in Bourbon county, Kentucky, on the waters of Boone creek, known as the Levy Blacksmith property and bounded as follows:

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